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first horizontal means supporting an ensemble formed by the group and the film;

third vertical means, for constraining said ensemble laterally;

said unit further including:

at least one first conveyor;

said active run being aimed at receiving said ensemble, pushed out from said intermediate station by said pusher means, and sending said ensemble toward subsequent stations.

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the dimension of said ensemble measured in the direction of forward movement of said active run.

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19. A unit as claimed in claim 9, wherein each conveyor of said third and fourth conveyors includes at least two endless belts, arranged side by side.

20. A unit as claimed in claim 9, wherein each conveyor of said third and fourth conveyors includes a plurality of strip-like endless belts arranged side by side.